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A RESOLUTION to recognize Lynda Bullard on the occasion of her retirement.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that the members of this legislative body should honor those citizens who in their years of work have performed with uncommon devotion and enthusiasm; and

WHEREAS, Lynda Bullard is one such estimable person who has served with distinction for twenty-nine years with Murfreesboro Bank & Trust (now SunTrust Bank); however, she is now answering the tantalizing call of retirement; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Bullard has been an important and vital force in her workplace; hired in 1973 as the administrative assistant to Ed Loughry, Sr., Jack Holden, and Jack Weatherford, she has seen many changes in the bank, including its name; and

WHEREAS, in addition, she has worked assiduously in a number of significant positions during her tenure with the bank, including as a new accounts representative and administrative assistant to many of the bank's senior managers; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Bullard also served with great distinction as a marketing assistant to Representative John Hood, who was employed as marketing director with the bank until his retirement; and

WHEREAS, at the time of her much-deserved retirement, Mrs. Bullard was the administrative assistant to SunTrust's regional president, Lee Moss; and

WHEREAS, Lynda Bullard has been recognized many times for her important contributions to her company and to her profession; in 1977, while working as administrative assistant to Jack Weatherford, the Chairman of the Board of Murfreesboro Bank & Trust Company, she was honored as Secretary of the Year as a member of the Murfreesboro Chapter of the National Secretaries Association International; and

WHEREAS, she is grateful for the opportunity to spend more time with her husband of nearly thirty-seven years, Dwight; the loving couple has been blessed with two children, Lisa Michelle and Marc Jeffrey, and they truly enjoy babysitting for their grandchildren; and

WHEREAS, Mrs. Bullard exemplifies the spirit and allegiance to family and community that are characteristic of a true Tennessean; and

WHEREAS, throughout her estimable career, Lynda Bullard has demonstrated the utmost professionalism, ability, and integrity, winning the unbridled respect and admiration of her colleagues and employer; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, that we extend to Lynda Bullard our heartfelt wishes for a happy and fulfilling retirement and every continued success in her future endeavors, as we pay tribute to her exemplary career in banking.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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